

July 2, 2003

Dear Hermitage Road Resident:

As you have been previously notified, the street in front of your home has deteriorated to a point where the city must replace the pavement, curbs and gutter and driveway approaches. As discussed in the public involvement meeting that was held at City Hall on May 22^{nd} , 2003, this improvement has been bid and a contract has been awarded to Nickolas Savko & Sons, Inc. The start date for this project is July 7, 2003. The contractor will be notifying each resident two days prior to the road closure.

The roadway will be reopened to traffic before school starts on August 27, 2003. Total completion of the project is scheduled for early September. This completion date is weather permitting. Construction activity will be confined to the area between the sidewalks. Traffic will not be permitted on this street during major reconstruction of the street. Emergency vehicle access will be maintained throughout the course of construction.

Parking is available on the undisturbed sections of Brookhaven, Wittenberg and Dunbarton. The Police Department will provide extra patrols in the area for vehicle and pedestrian safety. Mail delivery will be moved to temporary mailboxes along Brookhaven and Wittenburg for those residents not served by mail carrier to the houses.

Curbside trash pick up will not be possible while the road is closed. Dumpsters will be placed at the corners of Brookhaven West and Wittenberg. Trash will be collected by putting your garbage bags and recyclables in the dumpsters in the appropriate drop off container that will be placed at the referenced side streets. The last curbside trash pick up, prior to the road closure will take place on Wednesday July 9th at 7:00 a.m.

Your driveway approaches will be replaced in-kind, as a part of this project, at no cost to the homeowner.

We apologize for the inconvenience that this project will cause. We are confident that this project, while difficult during the construction phase, will at its conclusion improve your quality of life as well as your property values. If you have any questions, please call the City Engineers office at 342-4050 or the Service Department at 342-4005. We will make every effort to make this as tolerable as possible. Please feel free to call with any special problems or suggestions you may have. Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

Thomas F. Komlanc Jr., PE Assistant City Engineer